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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

FROM: Thomas G. Cassady, Chief
Special Procedures Group

SUBJECT: 25X6
[redacted]

1. In line with discussions held with ADSO and pursuant to plans talked over with Mr. Davies of State, it was thought advisable to:

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a. Arrange for certain avenues for the emission of anti-Communist propaganda [redacted] and

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b. Set up contacts and methods whereby if elections should take place [redacted] we would have better facilities to accomplish State's and our own desires in support of any particular party or candidate. This discussion grew out of the necessity of improvising, due to the fact that no prior planning had been done, in [redacted] at the time of their April 25X6 elections.

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2. The enclosed documents pertain to certain steps to achieve the objectives mentioned hereinabove but never completed due to the fact that upon my return [redacted] in June, I learned that the future [redacted] was clothed in uncertainty.

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3. Inasmuch as some of the principals involved are [redacted] 25X6
[redacted] I have not deemed it advisable to contact them further as it would have been unfair to have involved these persons in projects so indefinite. Because of this, I do not propose to make any memorandum detailing the ideas or steps previously taken. If however, in the future it is thought advisable to proceed with the ideas mentioned in "1" above, I would be glad to discuss the matter, if desired, and if I deem the proposals sound and of serious intent, I will be glad to cooperate. I do not, however, propose to involve any personal friends in obscure and dangerous procedures.

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